

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q66059

Satoru HOSONO, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/942,764

Group Art Unit: 2853

Confirmation No.: 9203

Examiner: Blaise L. MOUTTET

Filed: August 31, 2001

For: INK JET RECORDING HEAD, METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME,
METHOD OF DRIVING THE SAME, AND INK JET RECORDING APPARATUS
INCORPORATING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two month(s), extending the time for responding to the Final Office Action dated November 16, 2004 to April 16, 2005.

A check for the statutory fee of \$450.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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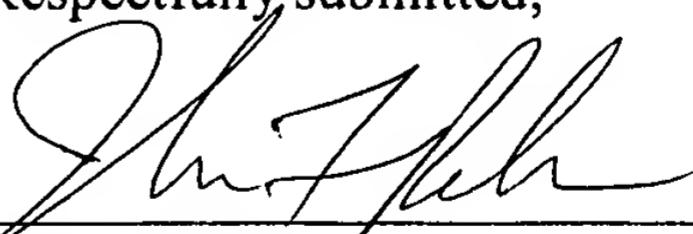
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